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Ms. Cynthia T. Brown Chief of the Section of Administration, Office of Proceedings Surface Transportation Board 395 E Street, S.W. Washington, D. C. 20423

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RE: Finance Docket No. 35605, RailAmerica, Inc., Palm Beach Rail Holding, Inc., RailAmerica Transportation Corp., RailTex, Inc., Fortress Investment Group, LLC. and RR Acquisition Holding, LLC-Control Exemption Wellsboro & Corning Railroad, LLC

Dear Ms. Brown:

Enclosed for filing are the original and 10 copies of a Motion for Protective Order by RailAmerica, Inc., Palm Beach Rail Holding, Inc., RailAmerica Transportation Corp., RailTex. Inc., Fortress Investment Group, LLC, and RR Acquisition Holding, LLC.

Please time and date stamp the additional copy of this letter and the Motion and return them with our messenger. Thank you for your assistance.

If you have any questions please call or email me.

Louis E. Gitomer

Office of Proceedings Attorney for RailAmerica, Inc., Palm Beach Holding, Inc., RailAmerica Transportation Corp.,

RailTex, Inc., Fortress Investment Group, LLC, and

RR Acquisition Holding, LLC-Control Exemption-

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RailAmerica, Inc., Palm Beach Rail Holding, Inc., RailAmerica Transportation Corp., RailTex, Inc. ("RailTex"), Fortress Investment Group, LLC, and RR Acquisition Holding, LLC (collectively "RailAmerica et al."), pursuant to 49 C.F.R. §1104.14(b), file this Motion for Protective Order (the "Motion") for approval to file under seal the unredacted Unit Purchase Agreement dated January 31, 2012 (the "Agreement") among RailTex, TransRail Holdings. LLC, Industrial Waste Group, LLC, Wellsboro & Corning Railroad Co. ("W&C"), A. Thomas Myles III, A. Thomas Myles IV, and William Myles (collectively "Sellers").

Concurrent with the filing of this Motion, RailAmerica et al. is filing a Verified Notice of Exemption pursuant to 49 C.F.R. §1180.2(d)(2) for RailAmerica et al. to acquire control of W&C (the "Filing"). RailAmerica et al. is submitting a redacted version of the Agreement with the Filing and will file unredacted versions of the Agreement under seal.

Granting this motion will facilitate the potential exchange and use of commercially sensitive material in this proceeding, including the Agreement. These materials, if publicly disclosed, could cause commercial or other harm to the disclosing party. The proposed protective order complies with Board rules and is modeled after protective orders the Board has

issued in prior adjudications. See Cedar River Railroad Company—Trackage Rights

Exemption—Chicago, Central & Pacific Railroad Company, STB Docket No. 35593 (February 24, 2012).

Public disclosure of the commercially sensitive provisions of the Agreement is not necessary for the disposition of the Filing. RailAmerica et al. requests the Board treat those terms as confidential. RailAmerica et al. contends that public disclosure of the complete Agreement is not necessary for the consideration and disposition of Filing.

For the reasons set forth above. RailAmerica et al. respectfully requests that the Board grant this Motion and adopting the protective order attached hereto.

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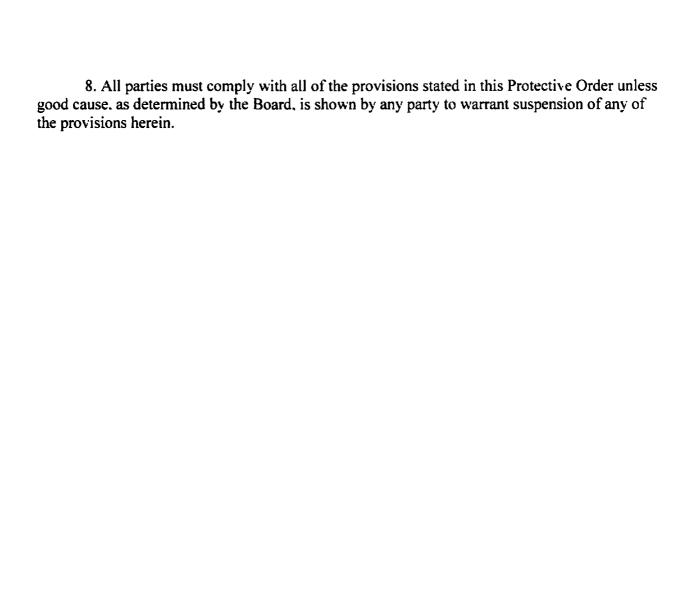
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Dated: March 8, 2012

#### APPENDIX

#### **PROTECTIVE ORDER**

- 1. For the purposes of this Protective Order, "Confidential Information" means the unredacted Unit Purchase Agreement among RailTex, Inc. ("RailTex"), TransRail Holdings, LLC, Industrial Waste Group, LLC, Wellsboro & Corning Railroad Co., A. Thomas Myles III, A. Thomas Myles IV, and William Myles filed under seal on March 8, 2012, in Docket No. FD 35605.
- 2. Confidential Information shall be provided to any party only pursuant to this Protective Order and only upon execution and delivery to counsel for RailTex of the attached Undertaking. Confidential Information shall be used solely for the purpose of this and any related Board proceedings, or any judicial review proceeding arising therefrom, and not for any other business, commercial or other competitive purpose.
- 3. Confidential Information shall not be disclosed in any way or to any person without the written consent of RailTex or an order of the Board, and then solely for use in connection with this and related Board proceedings, or any judicial review proceeding arising therefrom, provided that such person has been given and has read a copy of this Protective Order and agrees to be bound by its terms by executing the attached Undertaking prior to receiving access to this information.
- 4. Any documents containing Confidential Information must be destroyed, and notice of such destruction must be served on RailTex, at the completion of this and any related Board proceedings, or any judicial review proceeding arising therefrom.
- 5. If the Board retains the Confidential Information, it shall, in order to keep it confidential, treat the information in accordance with the procedure set forth at 49 C.F.R. § 1104.14.
- 6. If any party intends to use Confidential Information at hearings or otherwise in this proceeding or in any related Board proceedings, or in any judicial review proceeding arising therefrom, the party shall submit any filings or documents setting forth or revealing such Confidential Information to the Board, or the reviewing court as appropriate, under seal, and shall accompany such submission with a written request to the Board or the court to (i) restrict attendance at any hearing during discussion of such Confidential Information, and (ii) restrict access to the portion of the record or briefs reflecting discussion of such Confidential Information in accordance with the Protective Order.
- 7. All parties must file simultaneously a public version of any Confidential submission filed with the Board. The Confidential Version may be served on other parties in electronic format only.



### UNDERTAKING

have read the Protective Order governing ration by RailTex, Inc. ("RailTex") in Docket No. FD 35605 and to be bound by its terms. I agree not to use or permit the use of d under this Undertaking, or to use or permit the use of any tion learned as a result of receiving such data or information, for a ration and presentation of evidence and argument in Docket Now proceedings taken or filed in connection therewith. I further information obtained under this Protective Order to any person ms of this order and has executed an Undertaking in the form proceeding (including any proceeding on administrative review II promptly destroy any documents containing or reflecting than file copies, kept by outside counsel, of pleadings and other
nat money damages would not be a sufficient remedy for breach ilTex shall be entitled to specific performance and injunctive or y for any such breach, and I further agree to waive any posting of any bond in connection with such remedy. Such see the exclusive remedy for breach of this Undertaking but shall ailable at law or equity.
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